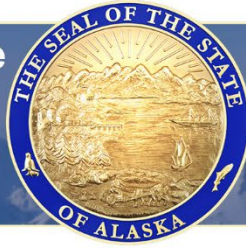


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### **Alaskans impacted by 2025 Denali Borough Fire eligible for Individual Assistance**

Individuals and families with damage or emergency expenses encouraged to apply

**Joint Base Elmendorf Richardson, ALASKA** – The Alaska Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (DHS&EM) will be accepting applications for the State Individual Assistance (IA) and Temporary Housing programs for those with damage or emergency expenses related to the 2025 Denali Borough Fire. Residents of the Denali Borough are eligible to apply.

#### **State Individual Assistance registration will begin on June 27, 2025.**

On June 27, disaster survivors can register for the State Individual Assistance program by visiting the DHS&EM registration webpage at **Ready.Alaska.Gov/IA**. Telephone registration is available at 1-844-445-7131.

"Alaska's wildland firefighters continue to work to protect lives and property, wildfire season is not over," said State Emergency Operation Center Incident Commander Mark Roberts.

"Activation of the state's Individual Assistance program will enable fire victims in the Denali Borough to begin the disaster recovery process."

The State's IA program is designed to provide financial assistance to individuals or families for damage to primary residence, primary mode of transportation, essential personal property and medical/funeral/dental needs created as a direct result of a declared disaster.

Please have the following information with you when you apply:

- Description of damages and/or losses (written, photos, video)
- Home ownership documentation
- Insurance information
- Personal Identification
- Proof of occupancy (utility bill)

Homeowners and renters with homes that are damaged and/or unlivable may be eligible for State Individual Assistance Temporary Housing.

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